

Calendar for the week

Monday 11:

11.30 Holy Communion - Beckfield House

12.00 Lent lunch - St John's

Tuesday 12:

10.00 - 12.00 Churches Together Coffee Shop - Washingborough Methodist Church

Wednesday 13 - Ember Day:

10.00 MU Corporate Holy Communion

St John's. *Followed by tea and coffee*

2.00 MU - The Pavilion, Washingborough

7.30 Lent study course - Washingborough Methodist Church

Saturday 16:

9.30 Taskforce Day - St John's

11.30 Visit by Walsall Deanery Pilgrims

Sunday 17:

9.30 Morning Worship - All Saints'

9.30 Holy Communion - St Thomas'

11.00 Holy Communion - St John's

MU cake and produce stall after the service

Readings

Philippians 3:17-4:1

Luke 13:31-35

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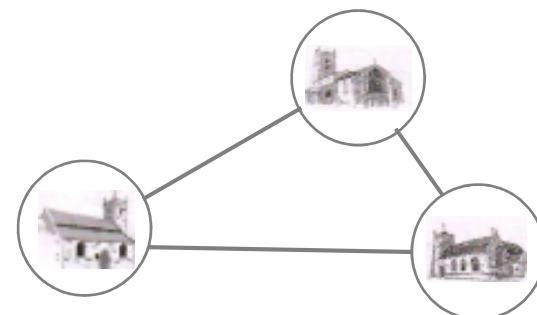
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The Parishes of Washingborough with
Heighington, and Canwick

Sunday 10 March 2019



Welcome to the Washingborough Group of Churches

We welcome you as you join us today and pray that you will be blessed as we meet with God in this place.

Please do join us for a drink and a chat after the service.

Information about our group of Churches can be found on the Benefice website:

www.washingboroughgroup.org.uk

First Sunday of Lent

The Collect for today:

Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ fasted forty days in the wilderness, and was tempted as we are, yet without sin: give us grace to discipline ourselves in obedience to your Spirit; and, as you know our weakness, so may we know your power to save; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

(or)

Heavenly Father, your Son battled with the powers of darkness, and grew closer to you in the desert: help us to use these days to grow in wisdom and prayer that we may witness to your saving love in Jesus Christ our Lord.

If you would like to follow today's readings, you will find a Bible at the end of the pew. The page number for each reading is given below:

First reading

Romans 10:8b-13

Page 140 in the New Testament, towards the back of the Bible.

Second reading

Luke 4:1-13

Page 51 in the New Testament, towards the back of the Bible.

Walsingham Reunion - Sat 16th March

If you have taken part in any of our pilgrimages to Walsingham, you are warmly invited to attend the reunion with our fellow pilgrims from the Walsall Deanery on Saturday 16th March. Our friends from Walsall will be arriving at 11.30. After a quick comfort stop, plans for the day include a tour of our three churches, a fellowship lunch and a visit to Lincoln Cathedral, during which we hope to be able to receive Holy Communion together. The group will then head home at about 4.00. If you are hoping to join us, please can you add your name to the list at the back of the church by the end of today's service, to give us some idea of numbers for lunch.

If you are available to help us tidy the churchyard, the next Churchyard Taskforce Day will be on Saturday 16th March; 9.30-12.00 and 2.00-4.00. Light refreshments. Please bring some tools.

Remember - Lent Soup lunches start Monday 11th March. Why not bring a friend or neighbour? Our theme for the lunches will be "Pilgrimage"

To receive daily Lent reflections by email or app sign up at:
<http://www.churchofengland.org>

Advance Notice - PCC meeting for St John's and St Thomas' PPCs - Monday 18th March at St Thomas'.

The Church electoral role is now up for renewal. Everyone wishing to be on the new electoral role needs to complete a form (available at the back of church); complete and return it to the Parish Office by Sunday 17 March.

Our prayers are asked for:

The sick and troubled and those who love and care for them:

Catherine, Sharon, Norma [REDACTED], Margaret [REDACTED], Pat [REDACTED], Adie, Freda [REDACTED], Teddie, John, Mick [REDACTED], Cora, Michael, Lesley, Estelle, Peter [REDACTED], John [REDACTED]

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Those who have died and those who particularly miss them:

Mark Roberts

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From the Book of Remembrance for March:

Ted Townley, Ethel Dorothy Swann, Robert Dakin, Maud Marshall, John Thomas Elkington, Stanley Owen

If you wish to update those on our Prayer Lists or have an urgent prayer request please contact the Rector on 01522 800240.

If you have an item to include in the Pew News, please ring Sarah on: 07852 396228 or email to: pewnewswhc@hotmail.com by midday on the preceding Thursday.